HOUSE RESOLUTION 151

By Hicks

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Emily Jo Christian, 2019 Top Ten Senior, Volunteer High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this legislative body should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Emily Jo Christian is one such exceptional student who was recently named a Top Ten Senior of the 2019 graduating class at Volunteer High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Christian has achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Emily Christian has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including Beta Club, Key Club, Criminal Justice Club, and Students Against Destructive Decisions; she is the Mu Alpha Theta Webmaster, a Student Government Association Senator, and Tennessee State President of SkillsUSA; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Christian's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at Maryville College; and

WHEREAS, Emily Christian's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Tracy Christian and Heather Christian, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Christian's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor Emily Jo Christian of Volunteer High School on being named a 2019 Top

Ten Senior, salute her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.